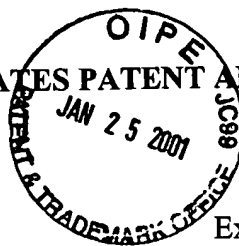


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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby respectfully request that a one-month extension of time be granted in connection with the above-identified application, up to January 28, 2001.

A check in the amount of \$55.00, which is the fee associated with the one-month extension of time, small entity status, is attached hereto.

Please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-4300, Order No. 33314WC548931 and credit any over-payment to said Deposit Account.

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